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A HAPPY NEW YEAR

To-morrow, January First, Father Time Writes "1932" on the Books

Worst Is Over; Good Times Are On Their Way!

NINETEEN HUNDRED AND THIRTY-ONE. What good can be said of it? Most people will remember it as the year of bad times, of unemployment, of reduced wages, of declining dividends, of economic worries that taxed the brains of statesmen, financiers, farmers, artisans and that much neglected "white collar" class, who probably suffered more in proportion than either the wealthy or the very poor.

Yet, so far as Canada is concerned, it was a year which brought good with its evil. It brought us all back to earth again from the sky of extravagance; it taught us that the old habits of economy and common sense are the best, after all; and, principally, by a combination of circumstances, it awoke in us all a stronger spirit of Canadianism, of putting Canadian things first, of proving our faith in Canada, and our determination to get Canada out of the morass more quickly than any other country.

One outstanding fact, as the year draws to its close, is that if things are getting better it is because Canadians are determined that they shall get better, because they realize that this country with its vast resources cannot be chained down by other forces. The growing spirit of Canadianism, added, as it has been in the Mother Country, by a new sense of Empire unity, is a sun which is driving away the clouds of business gloom and though the process may be slow the true Canadian is convinced that the tide has turned and that 1932 will be a better year, the commencement of a series of better years of progress towards that national destiny which is ours. So CHEER UP, THE WORST IS OVER; GOOD TIMES ARE COMING BACK!

WINTER'S GRIP REACHES OVER WEST PRAIRIES

Winnipeg, Dec. 29.—Winter began to spread out anew over Western Canada today after more than three weeks of mild spring-like weather had set old-timers wondering whether the climate had changed. Starting on the west of the prairie country, the cold wave made an onslaught on Alberta. Edmonton was hit by the throes of a biting snowstorm, driven by a high wind. Calgary and Lethbridge experienced heavy snowfalls and the temperatures were well below the freezing point. It was moderately cold in Saskatchewan, although Moose Jaw and Regina had mild weather. But 16 inches of snow fell at Saskatoon and the rain was continuing. At Winnipeg and throughout Manitoba conditions showed little change from the warmth of the past week.

Alberta's cold wave is destined to spread, however, according to the weather man. It threatens to engulf the whole country, spreading rapidly eastward. The immediate forecast for Saskatchewan is cloudy and becoming colder, with light snow. Snow is also on the cards for Manitoba and the Lake Superior region of Ontario, although no immediate change in temperature is expected.

AXEL KARLSSON HAS TOUGH LUCK AT CALGARY

B. W. Bellamy was the guest of the Calgary Herald on Friday last as secretary of the Alberta Branch A. U. of C. on the occasion of the Herald's annual 6-mile road race, which was won by H. Anderson, winner of the road race in Wetaskiwin last August. In presenting the various prizes, Col. J. H. Woods, manager of the Herald, paid tribute to Wetaskiwin and its activities in the realm of sport.

Mr. Bellamy was called upon for an address and was tendered a splendid reception. Several enquiries were made as to whether Wetaskiwin would hold another road race in 1932.

Axel Karlsson, the sterling distance runner from Falun, was forced to retire from the race after travelling a couple of miles, suffering from a stitch in the side, at the time he was in eighth position, bunched with the ultimate winners. Thirty-seven runners faced the starter's gun, creating a new record for the race.

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Town Topics

1932 is Leap Year.
Miss Bessie Campbell of Edmonton, is the guest of Miss Eva Walker.

Miss Dorothy Payne spent Christmas in Edmonton with her parents.

O. H. Ronnie was a week-end visitor at the home of his daughter in Calgary.

Mrs. James Vickers went to Calgary a few days ago, to visit with relatives.

Mr. R. H. Mills of Vancouver, is a guest of Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Compton for a few days.

Miss Eva Walker of Edmonton, is at home spending the Christmas holidays with her mother.

Mrs. Winnifred Walker and daughter spent Christmas with Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Knott of Hobbema.

Miss Dora Wallace, R.N., left Wednesday morning for Medicine Hat, where she will visit friends.

Mrs. Winnifred Walker is spending the Christmas holidays with her son, Mr. R. H. Walker of Vegreville.

Mrs. E. E. Sears of Duhamel, left for Hampton, Iowa, to visit her sister, Miss Charity Hanson, who is seriously ill.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Nelson of Starbuck, Minn., are spending a few weeks visiting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Nels Nelson.

E. H. Reynolds made a business trip to Calgary a few days ago, and is spending a few days there renewing acquaintances.

In honor of Bruce Thirk, who left a few days ago to spend Christmas with his sister at Vancouver, en route to Los Angeles, a farewell party was held at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Thirk. Games, singing and contests were indulged in, and a very enjoyable evening was spent.

The annual dance given by Wetaskiwin Lodge A.F. & A.M. on Tuesday evening of this week, was one of the most successful and enjoyable ever held. Among those in attendance were Masons from Edmonton, Camrose and Ponoka, and the banquet room of the Driford was taxed to its capacity. The music was furnished by Les Camarades orchestra.

Rev. A. Wickstrom of the Swedish Mission Church left on Monday morning for Jonkoping, Sweden, where he expects to remain for some time. On Monday evening, a number of friends assembled at the home of Albin Swanson to bid him farewell, while about fifty were at the station to see him off. Rev. Wickstrom will be greatly missed by his many friends in Wetaskiwin and community.

The German Baptists of Alberta are opening up a Bible school in the city of Wetaskiwin on Monday, January 4th, which will continue until January 28th. Several prominent ministers will be the teachers, and also speak at the evening meetings. Instruction will be given in Bible study, Young People's problems, Sunday school methods, Mission work and music.

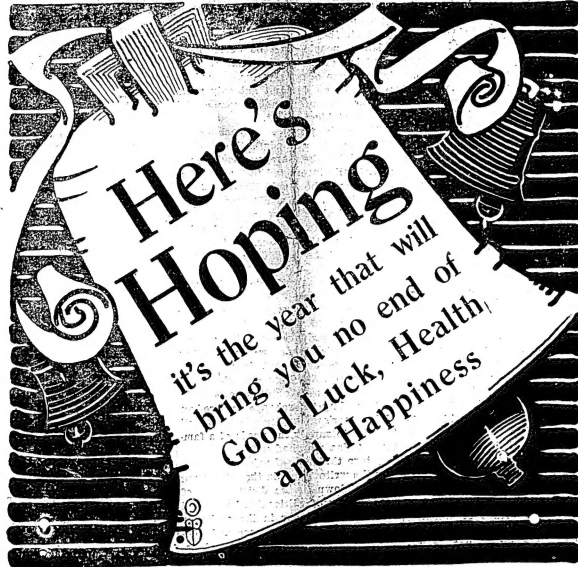
Rev. A. Schade, professor-elect of Rochester-Colgate College, N.Y., will be the main teacher. Rev. E. P. Wahl of Trochu, Rev. A. Jettermann of Carbon, and Rev. F. W. Benke of Wetaskiwin, will be assistant teachers.

WETASKIWIN LOSES GAME TO LEDUC ON HOME ICE

The Leduc and Wetaskiwin hockey teams clashed on Tuesday evening on the Wetaskiwin ice, in the fourth league game of the season. Owing to a slight snowfall, four 15-minute periods, were played. After the first few minutes of play, Leduc scored two goals. Watson scored for Wetaskiwin in the last part of the first period. In the third period, Watson evened the score, and Leduc added another counter, while in the last lap, Leduc scored another goal, ending the game 4-2 for Leduc. The game was kept well in hand throughout, and few penalties were handed out. Warty Somers refereed, and the lineup was:

Leduc: E. Woods; J. Willis; I. Robertson; Bonin; J. Maduk; Mullen. C. Butler, Kordabak.

Wetaskiwin: Gouchee; J. Watson; Neil Merzer; A. Abousaty; R. Watson; R. Alcher; Schneek.



Weddings

MAYGARD-RICHARDS
A quiet wedding at the United Church Manse on Monday, December 28th, saw the knot tied that bound Mr. Soren Maygard and Miss Esal Richards in holy wedlock. The young couple are resident in Gwynne and are favorably known among the younger set in Wetaskiwin. The bride was becomingly attired in white and pink. They will take up their residence soon on a farm north of Gwynne. Rev. A. R. Schrag officiated.

DARBY-THOMPSON
At 11:30 on December 26th, the home of Mr. and Mrs. V. E. Thompson was the scene of a very pretty wedding when their eldest daughter, Mabel Gladys, was united in marriage to Mr. Frank Roy Darby of Edmonton, eldest son of Mrs. Wm. Darby of St. Eleanor's, P.E. Island.

The bride entered the room, which was tastefully decorated with streamers of pink and white and white bells, to the strains of Lohengrin's Wedding March played by Mrs. T. T. Jevne. She looked charming in a gown of white crepe-back satin and lace. Her veil was arranged in high fashion and held in place with sprays of lily of the valley and she carried a bouquet of mauve mums. She was given away by her father.

The bridegroom, Lulu Thompson, dressed in peach crepe satin and carried a bouquet of peach mums. Walter Craig, cousin of the groom, acted as best man.

The close of the ceremony which was performed by Rev. H. G. Smith of Millet, a sumptuous breakfast was served by Mrs. Kent, Miss M. Jevne and Miss M. Alkenes. The bride's table, decorated with streamers of pink and white, was centred with the bride's cake.

The many beautiful gifts received show the high esteem in which both are held.

Amid showers of confetti and good wishes from all, the happy couple left on the afternoon train for Calgary and Banff. The bride's going away costume was dark blue silk crepe trimmed in white, over which she wore a black broadcloth coat trimmed in mink and brown felt hat to match.

On their return Mr. and Mrs. Darby will reside at Edmonton.

Among those from out of town who spent the festive season with relatives here were: Miss Jean Robinson and Mr. John Robinson of Edmonton, at the home of Mrs. J. H. Robinson; Miss Chandler of Edmonton, with Mr. and Mrs. Herb. Chandler; Stanley Poole of Dayland, with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. I. Poole; B. H. Compton of Edmonton, with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Compton; A. P. Moon of Torfild, with his family, and Mr. and Mrs. A. C. Bunney of Battle Lake, with their daughter, Mrs. B. Nowell.

The schools in the city will re-open after the Christmas vacation on Monday morning next, at 9:30.



MAYOR B. D. HOWATT
Who is retiring as chief magistrate of the city, after faithfully serving two consecutive terms. He was also Alderman for two years.

M. D. Montgomery Approves Proposed Hospital Scheme

The proposed new hospital to be erected jointly by the M.D. Montgomery and the City of Wetaskiwin, came nearer to fruition, as Saturday last was the last date for the receipt of a petition asking for a plebiscite of property owners in the municipal district. As no petition was filed, the by-law authorizing the district to raise \$15,000 for the erection and maintenance of the proposed hospital, was automatically passed by the Board of Public Utilities for endorsement. The council of the City of Wetaskiwin has also acted on the agreement and awaits the endorsement of the Board of Public Utilities before setting a date for the voting on the proposition in the city.

NEW STORE FOR WETASKIWIN WILL BE OPENED SHORTLY

Another store will be opened in Wetaskiwin in the course of a few days, as workmen are getting the premises formerly occupied by Cecil Richards, Pearce street, in readiness for Macleod's Limited. This a chain store, handling farmers' supplies, and in addition to its several branches on the prairies, will have stores at Edmonton, Wetaskiwin, Red Deer and Calgary. It is expected that the doors will be open to the public in a couple of weeks.

Monday last, the heaviest fall of snow for the season took place, when it is estimated that between three and four inches fell. A strong wind was blowing most of the time, but the highways were not blocked for traffic.

Obituary

CHOW KEE CHUN

The funeral of Chow Kee Chun, formerly proprietor of the Royal Cafe, who died on Christmas morning, took place from Moore's Funeral Parlors on Monday afternoon. The deceased was a cousin of Rev. Chow Ling of Calgary Mission and a minister of the United Church Conference of Alberta. Rev. Ling conducted the service in the Chinese language, and Rev. Schrag in the English. The deceased was of a Christian family in Canton before he came to reside in Canada.

MRS. ALMA BURGER

The late Mrs. Alma Burger was buried at Peace Hill cemetery on December 26th. The deceased was brought by horse from Westlock to the home of her brothers, William and Edward Ziekle, at Peace Hill. After a short service conducted by Rev. Mr. Ohlinger, the remains were borne to the church, where a large number of friends and neighbors assembled to pay their last tribute of sympathy.

Mrs. Burger was the second daughter of the late Mr. and Mrs. Carl Ziekle, and was born at Peace Hill on Dec. 4th, 1903. She was united in wedlock with Landon Burger on July 31st, 1923. They resided at Onalaska, Washington, for four years, and for the last four years had made their home at Pibroch, Alta. Her death took place at Westlock hospital on December 23rd. She leaves to mourn her loss, her husband, one child, six brothers and three sisters: Emil and Mrs. Deuring of Millet; Carl of Westlock; Adolph, Paul, William, Edward, Tillie and Lena of Wetaskiwin. The floral tributes were numerous and beautiful.

INSTALLATION OF OFFICERS

At a meeting of Wetaskiwin Lodge No. 15, A.F. & A.M. on Monday evening, the officers for the ensuing year were installed by R.W. Bro. Fred MacFarlane, assisted by R.W. Bro. R. W. Manley. The officers are:

W.M.—W. Bro. Thos. Marsden
L.P.M.—W. Bro. H. A. Inglis
S.W.—Bro. J. P. Inglis
J.W.—Bro. J. B. Fraser
Treas.—W. Bro. Chas. Boyer
Sec.—W. Bro. G. D. Wallace
Chap.—Bro. J. B. Christie
S.D.—Bro. P. J. Blundell
J.D.—Bro. T. G. McLeod
S.S.—Bro. J. MacEachern
J.S.—Bro. W. A. MacAllister
D. of C.—W. Bro. F. B. George
Tyrer—Bro. J. Vickers

CORRECTION

An error appeared in last week's issue, in the report of the debate between Nashville and Coal Lake. The personnel of the teams should have read:

Coal Lake: Carl Jevne, Alfred Jevne, Elvin Lee.
Nashville: Raymond Harris, W. Gillespie, Fred Kitcher.
Judges: G. Prichard, W. Elckerman, D. Widen.

Town Topics

Have you made your New Year's resolutions yet?

M. Delabehn was in Calgary last week, visiting relatives and friends.

Miss E. Redden spent the Christmas holidays with friends in Edmonton.

Miss Katie Gibson of Edmonton, is spending her vacation in Wetaskiwin.

Misses Mary and Mabel Bengtson of Edmonton, spent Christmas at their home here.

Chas. Spencer of Calgary, spent Christmas with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Thos. Spencer.

Chas. Patterson of Edmonton, was in Wetaskiwin over the holiday, visiting with relatives and friends.

Mrs. Frank Drole and children, and Mr. McCrae of Calgary, are guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. C. Drole.

Mrs. J. I. Poole went to Edmonton the fore part of the week, where she will spend several days with friends.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Turner and family went to Wilkie a few days ago to spend the festive season with friends.

The regular meeting of the I.O.D.E. will be held at the home of Mrs. H. W. Wright on Tuesday, January 5th, at 8 p.m.

Miss Alice Bleiler of the City Land Department, Edmonton, spent Christmas with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Bleiler.

Edwin Bleiler, who is serving his apprenticeship at "Johnson's" Drug Store, Edmonton, spent Christmas at his home here.

The Scandinavian Hospital Aid will meet at the home of Mrs. C. Condie on Tuesday, January 5th, at 3 o'clock, for its annual meeting.

L. T. Miquelon left for Calgary on Wednesday morning, where he will spend several days with relatives and renewing old acquaintances.

The Elks are holding their annual New Year's eve dance this Thursday evening, while the Driford is also holding a New Year's eve frolic, commencing at 2 o'clock Friday morning.

DONATIONS ACKNOWLEDGED

The Community Welfare League acknowledges with thanks the following donations:

Already acknowledged, \$199.20; I. O. D. E. \$25.00; J. Schofield, \$5.00; L.O.L. No. 1776, \$5.30; A. W. Anderson, \$2.00; Norwegian Lutheran Ladies Aid, \$5.00; I.O.O.F., \$10.00; W. Manley, \$2.00; H. W. Wright, \$5.00; A. Friend, \$10.00; W. Barry, \$2.00; Royal Purple, \$15.00; Staff, King Edward School, \$10.00; Eastern Star, \$15.00; J. H. Walker, \$1.00; Mrs. G. Kjerfve, \$1.00; Hudson Grant, \$5.00; Old Timers' Association, \$10.00; Mrs. Shillabeer, \$10.00; Alexander School, \$2.50; Anonymous, \$13.45.

Parcels from the following: Mrs. Barnett, Mrs. C. Watson, Mrs. J. S. Orr, Mrs. Rice, Mrs. Liveridge, Mrs. Vickers, Mrs. W. Burroughs, Mrs. G. D. Wallace, Mr. Loggie, Mrs. Boyer, Mrs. E. Moore, Mrs. R. A. Lawson, Mrs. A. Wynne, Mrs. J. W. Somers, Mrs. N. Grant, Mr. Cliff Taylor, Mrs. Chas. McDonald, Mr. Richard Ballhorn, Mrs. E. Bleiler, Mr. Alex. Murray, Mr. Fulton, Gunhild Hanson, Mrs. V. G. French, Gwynne Sunshine per Mrs. Fred Freeman, Haultain Sunshine per Mrs. Reimer, Catholic Women's League, Girl Guides Bittern Lake, 1st Wetaskiwin Brownies, The Nurses Wetaskiwin Hospital, The Do Storer Family, 30 bushels of wheat; Geo. F. Root, 15 bushels of wheat; Mrs. A. Bellier, Mr. Boyd, vegetables; Jean Newby, Marie Nowell, Doris Schreffels, Rev. F. C. Wade, Mrs. B. Nowell, Jan; Mrs. Roulstone, Mr. H. W. Wright.

The League are very grateful to all who have so nobly responded to the call for help. The assistance that has been given to needy families has been the means of brightening many homes which otherwise would have been sore put to it to give the children the merry Christmas that we as parents and relations know they love so well. We regret to say, however, that we are not anywhere near the end of our work. Cases of want and hardship are being brought to our attention every day, and we must therefore still beg of you to give to your utmost.

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Better Outlook With Passing of The Old Year

(By Roger W. Babson)

Babson Park, Florida, Dec. 26.—I have just completed a careful survey of fundamental Canadian business barometers, and I am quite hopeful over the outlook for the magnificent year in which they have met the challenge of the period of business readjustment. The year just closing has been a severe test of those qualities of stamina and courage which have characterized activities during the past twelve months. It is not my business to be on the one hand foolishly optimistic, or on the other hand needlessly pessimistic. Consequently, when I say that 1932 will be a better year than 1931, I am not expressing blind sanguine hope. I am telling you that basic indicators point toward a slowly improving situation generally throughout the Dominion during the year ahead.

Longer-term constructive factors include (1) the enviable position of Canadian banks as contrasted with banking conditions in the States; (2) the trend towards diversification of crops and the increased interest in dairying; (3) attraction of new industries to Canada as an outgrowth of higher protective tariffs and the accessibility of British markets through imperial preferences; and (4) Canada's wealth of undeveloped natural resources.

We are, of course, in the midst of a severe winter, both in Canada and in the States. I believe, however, that it marks definitely, and finally the turning point from which improvement will steadily take place. The first signs of it will perhaps be only seasonal as we approach the end of the first quarter of 1932, but I look for an upturn of reasonable proportions during the spring and early summer. Conditions beyond mid-year hinge on the 1932 crop prospects, but barring some unforeseeable misfortune, this year's crop should show to advantage over that of last year.

Seasonal quickening in many lines of industrial activity should reflect favorably upon unemployment and payroll totals as the second quarter advances. Also, the opening up of a number of construction projects should occasion some business improvements before mid-year. While sales quotas for the next three months will doubtless run under last year's figures, the market for many products should be greater as this seasonal improvement in business gets under way.

DR. H. M. VANGO DIES ON TUESDAY, SCIENCE MARTYR

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O.O.R.P. OFFICERS FOR 1932

The following officers of the Order of Royal Purple were elected for the ensuing year:

H.R.L.—Mrs. E. D. O'Neill
A.R.L.—Mrs. Chas. Condie
L.L.—Mrs. L. G. Kelley
Lec. L.—Mrs. Chaffee
Secretary—Mrs. D. Baker
Treasurer—Mrs. J. Walker
Chaplain—Mrs. Geo. Long
Conductress—Mrs. J. Redman
O.G.—Mrs. Sam Baxter
L.G.—Mrs. W. Hogan
Trustees: Three year, Mrs. Thompson; two year, Mrs. Graham; one year, Mrs. Farhabach.
Meetings are held every second and fourth Monday.

SIGHT UNSEEN

MARY ROBERTS RINEHART

TENTH INSTALLMENT

Synopsis

Six people, Horace Johnson (who tells the story), his wife, old Mrs. Dane, Herbert Robinson and sister, Alice, and Dr. Sperry, friends and neighbors, are in the habit of holding weekly meetings. At one of these Mrs. Dane, who is hostess, varies the program by unexpectedly arranging a spiritualistic seance with Miss Jeromy, a friend of Dr. Sperry and not a professional, as the medium.

At the first sitting the medium tells the details of a murder as it is occurring. Later that night Sperry learns that a neighbor, Arthur Wells, has been shot mysteriously.

At a second seance, Miss Jeromy adds details about a summer resort where Charles Ellingham was known to have been at the same time that Mrs. Wells was there. She also speaks of a pocketbook being lost which contained some important car tickets and letters. Mrs. Dane, alone of the women, seems thrilled by the investigation.

Johnson and Sperry do some detective work and uncover the fact that somebody with guilty knowledge has been away with some letters. Hawkins the butler, is suspected as well as Ellingham, a friend of Mrs. Wells, of knowledge who the slayer is. The investigation has reached its final stages.

NOW GO ON WITH THE STORY

There was, on the contrary, a definite place beyond which the medium could not go.

She did not know who had killed Arthur Wells.

To my surprise, Sperry and Herbert Robinson came together to see me that morning at my office. Sperry, like myself, was pale and Sperry, like myself was restless and talkative, for all the world like a terrier on the scent of a rat.

"Hawkins will be here soon," Sperry said, rather casually, after I had read the clipping.

"Here?"

"Yes. He is bringing a letter from Miss Jeromy. The letter is merely a blind. We want to see him."

Herbert was examining the door of my office. He set the spring lock. "He may try to bolt," he explained. "We're in this pretty deep, you know?"

"How about a record of what he says?" Sperry asked.

I pressed a button, and Miss Joyce came in. "Take the testimony of the man who is coming in, Miss Joyce," I directed. Take everything you say, any of it. Can you tell the different voices?"

She thought she could, and took up her position in the next room with the door partly open.

I can still see Hawkins as Sperry let him in—a tall, cadaverous man of good manners and an English accent, a superior servant. He was cool but rather reserved. I judged that he considered carrying letters as in no way a part of his work and that he was careful of his dignity.

"Miss Jeromy sent this, sir," he said.

Then his eyes took in Sperry and Herbert, and he drew himself up.

"I see," he said. "It wasn't the letter, then?"

"Not entirely. We want to have a talk with you, Hawkins."

"Very well, sir." But his eyes went from one to the other of us.

"You were in the employ of Mr. Wells. We know that. Also we saw you there the night he died, but some time after his death. What time did you get in that night?"

"About midnight. I am not certain."

"Who told you of what had happened?"

"I told you that before. I met the detectives going out."

"Exactly. Now, Hawkins you had come in, locked the door, and placed the key outside for the other servants?"

"Yes, sir."

"How do you expect us to believe that?" Sperry demanded irritably.

"There was only one key. Could you lock yourself in and then place the key outside?"

"Yes, sir," he replied impassively. "By opening the kitchen window, I could reach out and hang it on the nail."

"You were out of the house, then, at the time Mr. Wells died?"

"I can prove it by as many witnesses as you wish to call."

"Now, about these letters, Hawkins," Sperry said. "The letters in the bag. Have you still got them?"

He half rose—we had given him a chair facing the light—and then sat down again. "What letters?"

"Don't beat about the bush. We know you have the letters. And we want them."

"I don't intend to give them up, sir."

"Will you tell us how you got them?"

He hesitated. "If you do not know already, I do not care to say."

I placed the letter to a 31 before him. "You wrote this, I think?" I said.

He was genuinely startled. More than that, indeed, for his face twitched. "Suppose I did?" he said. "I'm not admitting it."

"Will you tell us for whom it was meant?"

"You know a great deal already, gentlemen. Why not find out from where you learned the rest?"

"You know, then, where we learned what we know?"

"That's easy," he said bitterly. "She told you enough, I daresay. She doesn't know it all, of course. Any more than I do," he added.

"Will you give us the letters?"

To my surprise, it was Sperry, accompanied by two ladies, one of them heavily veiled. It was not until I had ushered them into the reception room and lighted the gas that I saw who they were. It was Ellnor Wells, in deep mourning, and Clara, Mrs. Dane's companion and secretary.

While I am quite sure that I was not thinking clearly at the opening of the interview, I know that I was puzzled at the presence of Mrs. Dane's secretary, but I doubtless accepted it as having some connection with Clara's notes. And Sperry made no comment on her at all.

"Mrs. Wells suggested that we come here," Horace," he began. "We may read a legal mind on this. I'm not sure, or rather I think it unlikely. But just in case—suppose you tell him, Ellnor."

"I haven't said I have them. I haven't said I wrote that one on the desk. Suppose I have them. I'll not give them up except to the District Attorney."

"By the way, do you refer to Miss Jeromy?" I asked.

He stared, and smiled faintly. "You know who I mean."

We tried to assure him that we were not, in a sense, seeking to involve him in the situation, and I even went so far as to state our position, briefly:

"I'd better explain. Hawkins. We are not doing police work. But, owing to a chain of circumstances, we have learned that Mr. Wells did not kill himself. He was murdered, or at least shot, by some one else. It may not have been deliberate. Owing to what we have learned, certain people are under suspicion. We want to clear things up for our own satisfaction."

"Then why is some one taking down what I say in the next room?"

He could only have guessed it, but he said that he was right by our faces. He smiled bitterly. "Go on," he said. "Take it down. It can't hurt anybody. I don't know who did it, and that's God's truth."

And after long wrangling, that was as far as we got.

He suspected who had done it, but he did not know. He absolutely refused to surrender the letters in his possession, and a sense of delicacy, I think, kept us all from pressing the question of the A 31 matter.

"That's a personal affair," he said. "I've had a good bit of trouble. I'm thinking now of going back to England."

And, as I say, we did not insist.

When he had gone, there seemed to be nothing to say. He had left the same impression on all of us, I think, of trouble, but not of crime. Of a man fairly driven; of wretchedness that was almost despair. He still had the letters. He had, after all, as much right to them as we had, which was, actually, no right at all. And, whatever it was, he still had his secret.

Herbert was almost childishly crestfallen. Sperry's attitude was more philosophical.

"A woman, of course," he said. "The A 31 letter shows it. He tried to get her back; perhaps, by holding the letters over her head. And it hasn't worked out. Poor devil! Only—who is the woman?"

It was that night, the fifteenth day after the crime, that the solution came. Came, as a matter of fact, to my door.

I was in the library, reading, or trying to read, a rather abstruse book on psychic phenomena. My wife, I recall, had just asked me to change a banjo record for "The End of a Pleasant Day," when the bell rang.

In our modest establishment the maids retire early and it is my custom, on those rare occasions when the bell rings after nine o'clock to answer the door myself.

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PROFESSOR BELIEVES ROCKET-PROPELLED SHIPS WILL TRAVEL TO MOON

New York.—Prof. John Q. Stewart of Princeton University, believes that in 100 years our descendants will travel to the moon in rocket-propelled ships, and he describes such a journey in his contribution to "Science Today." The book is a collection on subjects of current interest, ranging from interplanetary study to race problems and the care of national parks.

Prof. Stewart predicts that before 2050 A.D. man may travel to the moon in about six days. The scientist explains that a vehicle for carrying men to the moon must be designed for a speed of several miles a second and must be equipped with a power plant developing billions of kilowatts.

The scientist estimates the cost of the rocket ship, which he sees taking man on his first trip into deep space, at \$2,000,000,000. Such a journey, he prophesies, "is only a step within the cramped confines of the solar system," and would be the beginning of far more ambitious adventures into the far-off heavens.

ECONOMIC PANIC BELIEVED ENDED

New York, Dec. 25.—The closing months of 1931 seem to have developed a wholesome trend in the subsidence of fear and the dawning of a calmer determination to face actualities, in the opinion of Co. Allan M. Pope.

"Economic events themselves have produced this result," he said in a year-end survey. Col. Pope is president of the Investment Bankers' association of America and executive vice president of the First National Old Colony Corporation.

"We saw the rising tide of hoarding and then we saw the reassuring ebb in that tide," he explained. "Fearfully we witnessed a persistent decline in commodity prices and then saw much important basic commodities, such as wheat, silver and oil, find resistance points and whatever the immediate trends may be, we know that the present maladjustments can be corrected and that we can find a solid level on which to build."

"We all of the severity and persistence of its hardships, 1931 has shown that we are neither helpless or hopeless."

ORGANIZE FIRM TO FOSTER SALE OF LIVESTOCK

Regina, Dec. 26.—The Dominion Agriculture company, organized for the purpose of fostering the livestock industry of the three prairie provinces, now has a subscribed capital of approximately \$3,500,000, according to H. O. Powell, general manager of the company.

The first call of ten per cent on the stock subscribed has been fully responded to and the company has a satisfactory working capital. The organization of the local committees throughout the three provinces is now proceeding.

According to figures available on Wednesday morning, 16 committees have been formed in Saskatchewan, six in Manitoba and three in Alberta. Officials of the company expect to have valuable assistance from the seven or eight district agricultural agents appointed by the Alberta government to assist in the work of the department of agriculture.

GWYNNE SCHOOL REPORT

Grade I. (in order of merit)—Edward Rusty, Rose Marie Johnson, Delma Carlson, Bernice Holtner, Helen Rehaume.

Grade II-B
Evelyn Womack 94
Gilbert Tusty 69.67
Milton Carlson 39

Grade II-A
Ralph Hay 95.3
Margaret Hay 95.3
Doris Hilgartner 82
Mary Walstra 72
Alice Holtner 48.33

Grade III-B
Gertrude Pelt 37

Grade III-A
Lloyd Hilgartner 77.3
Irene Holtner 60.8
Lloyd Walstra 55.4

Grade IV.
Oliver Hilgartner 76.58
Florence Walstra 55.67

Grade V.
Walter Carlson 67.06

Grade VI.
Anna Palalay 72.44
Raymond Gilard 72.31
Lillian Walstra 62.13
Roy Hilgartner 53.69

Grade VII.
Clifford Johnson 66.1
Lyle Womack 59.65

Grade VIII.
Lila Hilgartner 67.5

Grade IX.
Viola Carlson 79.58
Lucille Womack 73.67
Alma Newman 66.4
Gordon Carlson 63.67
Betty Rupertus 46.8

Grade X.
(Part of Grade X. subjects)
Agnes Johnson 89
Ben Womack 82.5
ESTHER O. MEYER, Teacher.

A QUEER INVENTION

In the patent office there is a record of a queer patent taken out by a man who was evidently afraid of being buried alive. This was a tower to be erected on the top of the coffin after it had been placed in the grave. The top of the coffin would fly open on

the pressure of a spring within. If a man who had been buried alive came to life under one of these patent arrangements, he had only to push the spring, open the coffin, ascend the latter inside the tower, and thus reach the open air once more!

BUDGET ECONOMIES BIG QUESTION BEFORE CABINET

Ottawa, Dec. 26.—When the full cabinet re-assembles here after the New Year, and takes up the program of the parliamentary session, the outstanding theme of discussion will be the budget. Like the territory of ancient Gaul, all budgets are divided into three parts. There is the statement of the country's financial condition, a review of trade, and, thirdly, announcements respecting the tariff and taxation. The last mentioned is inevitably, the most important and always awaited with the greatest interest.

Whatever may be done this time with respect to the tariff—and under the circumstances previously alluded to, little is likely—Ottawa is settling down to the full expectation that taxation changes—upward—are coming. Any survey of the monthly statements of revenue and expenditure during the current fiscal year must justify that expectation while the prime minister's recent speech at Toronto goes far to remove any obscurity from the horoscope.

DOCTOR, IN OTTAWA, DIAGNOSES TREATMENT ARCTIC PATIENTS

Ottawa, Dec. 23.—Dr. F. S. Parley, of Ottawa, has one of the widest-flung and strangest medical practices in the world. He never sees his patients. A medical manual and a typewritten list of drugs form his only text. His patients never receive bills. All his diagnosing and treatment is done by wireless.

Seated behind a desk in an ordinary business office, Dr. Parley cares for his patients, scattered through the far north. His field, extending thousands of miles, from Akavik on the west to Cape Chidley on the east, is limited only by the power of wireless.

Dotted throughout the north at government meteorological and radio stations, Royal Canadian Mounted Police depots, fur trading posts and mining camps, small groups of men are isolated from civilization. When sickness adds to their loneliness, Dr. Parley administers to them. Symptoms are radioed to him at Ottawa.

COMMITTEES OF CONGRESS LABOR ON RELIEF BILLS

Washington, D.C., Dec. 26.—Congressional committees and their drafting clerks are laboring today with relief bills, which will touch every sector of American life, from the Wall Street bankers to the ragged unemployed mechanic or even the hobo who has no job and does not want one.

Bills for relief of financial institutions and farmers have been given a priority which should enable their enactment shortly after congress meets again, January 4.

The United Press is authoritative.

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New Year's Greetings



To-day my Heart speaks out to you
The season's greetings warm
and true:
And with it comes a wish sincere
For happiness throughout
the year.

—CURT SMITH

START THE NEW YEAR at our NEW YEAR'S EVE FROLIC [commencing at 2 a.m.]

Dancing—Laughter—Free Lunch

tively informed that the reconstruction finance corporation act will be changed in the following particulars:

Instead of issuing debentures for \$1,500,000,000 of its capital resources, the corporation will issue straight government bonds, thus avoiding the necessity for making the corporation's paper discountable by federal reserve banks.

PEMMICAN IS AGAIN MADE ON PRAIRIES

Real pemmican, from true buffalo meat is again being made on the Prairies, and in considerable quantity. The pemmican, which is being prepared at Wainwright and Edmonton, will be available to the public on request; but most of the dried buffalo meat will be shipped to the far north for Eskimo relief. For the benefit of some old-timers and many young people who appreciate a new

article of diet, several carloads of fresh buffalo meat have been shipped over the C.N.R. to Canadian cities and many more carloads will be shipped from Wainwright in the near future. A total of 1,500 buffalo were killed at Wainwright National Park recently and, as a result, there will be a Dominion-wide sale of buffalo steaks, roasts and cutlets.

The Times does commercial print at right prices

Nerves Were a Total Wreck Could Not Eat or Sleep



Mrs. Geo. H. Mills, Lake Alma, Sask., writes:—I was taken down with rheumatism and was unable to walk for some time. Although I got back on my feet I was not right as I could not eat or sleep, and my nerves were a total wreck.

I decided to take Milburn's Heart and Nerve Pills, and found after taking two boxes I had gained five pounds, and never missed a night's sleep. Right now I never feel better in my life."

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This paper is read in practically every home in this district. If you want to tell them you have baby chicks, eggs, seed grain, stock, machinery, or anything else for sale, the easiest, quickest and cheapest way to do it is through our classified column. Just tell them what you have for sale and how much you want for it.

FOR SALE

FOR SALE—Purchased Barred Rock Cockerels \$1.00 each during January. Foundation stock Manitoba and Alberta Approved Flocks. Would also like to exchange three of the above cockerels for unrelated birds. S. G. Simpson, R.R.1 Falun. 41-31

FOR SALE—Pekin ducks, white Rock cockerels, \$2.00 each. Hunting-ton Farm, phone 2505, Wetaskiwin. 40-4

FOR SALE OR EXCHANGE—Fordson tractor with plows, complete. Would sell cheap or exchange for a car. Write Box 77, Wetaskiwin, Alta., for particulars. 39-31a

FOR SALE—Pair of hockey shoes, size 2, and pair of hockey skates, size 9 1/2, in good condition. Snap for immediate sale. Apply to The Times office. 38-41a

FOR SALE—Battery charger, complete with bulb. Snap for cash. Apply Box "P", Times Office. 37-41a

LUMBER FOR SALE—Any kind, any quantity. Delivered anywhere it will pay you to get prices from W. B. Fullerton, Phone 2105, Battle Lake. 38-41a

LOST

LOST—Team of black geldings, 8 or 9 years, weight 1250 or 1300, branded OS under bar, on left hip. Suitable reward for same will be given by applying to E. Thirk, Wetaskiwin, or H. Hart, Winfield, Alta. 40-31a

FOR RENT

TO RENT—Furnished and heated one, two or three room suites. Write P.O. Box 264 or phone 126, Wetaskiwin, Alta. 38-41a

ROOM AND BOARD

ROOMS AND BOARD—First-class meals and comfortable rooms, near Alexandra school, prices very reasonable. Apply to Mrs. Patterson, phone 277. 22-41a

Miscellaneous

FISHERMEN'S ATTENTION
Send us your inquiries for fish boxes; prompt service. Canadian Box Co. Ltd., P.O. Box 416, Edmonton, Phone 22863. 38-41a

NOTICE TO CREDITORS AND CLAIMANTS

In the Estate of EUGENE ELK, ANAH CHANDLER, late of the City of Wetaskiwin, in the Province of Alberta, Clerk, deceased.
Notice is hereby given that all persons having claims upon the Estate of the above-named Eugene Elk, deceased, who died on or about the 24th day of October, A.D. 1931, are required to file with Roswell Herbert Chandler, of the City of Wetaskiwin, in the Province of Alberta, one of the Executors, or with the undersigned Solicitors by the Sixth day of February, A.D. 1932, a full statement duly verified of their claims, and of any securities held by them, and that after that date the Executors will distribute the assets of the Deceased among the parties entitled thereto, having regard only to the claims of which notice has been so filed, or which have been brought to their knowledge.
Dated this 23rd day of December, A.D. 1931.
ODELL & RUSSELL,
Solicitors for the Executors,
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Quick Results

May be depended upon from the use of our Want Ads. The births, deaths, marriages and the other Classified Columns are usually included in even a very perfunctory perusal of the paper. They are as good for general business as they are for "Help Wanted." etc. ©

SCHOOL REPORT

HIGH SCHOOL REPORT

Grade IX-A	Units Written	Units Passed
Appelt, Ruth	7	7
Beaton, Ruth	7	7
Bleiler, Clarence	7	3
Brandenburg, June	7	6
Caillies, Wilhelmina	7	1
Carlson, Donald	7	7
Cole, Vincent	7	4
Coulson, Norman	7	7
Edwards, Robert	7	3
Gibson, Charles	7	2
Godin, Freda	7	7
Kiratin, Raymond	7	5
Knack, Mary	7	5
MacAllister, Gault	7	6
Manley, Dale	7	5
McLeod, Edna	7	5
Merner, Donald	7	6
Reis, Rosella	7	7
Sharlow, Ethel	7	7
Sorenson, Mithorne	7	7
Stevenson, Margaret	7	4
Tetreau, Leonard	7	5
Vanhuizen, Grace	6	1
Watson, Marjorie	7	7

G. FAREWELL, Teacher.

Grade IX-B	Units Written	Units Passed
Anderson, Louis	7	6
Asper, Orlando	7	7
Beaton, Miles	6	3
Beguin, Rene	7	2
Chapell, Alice	7	2
Cordie, Florence	7	3
Emman, Marion	7	8
Penster, Helen	7	5
Haligren, Gladys	7	5
Hanna, Hazel	7	3
Lasell, Alex	7	4
Maxwell, Fannie	7	5
Miller, Herbert	6	6
McMurdo, Jean	7	5
Owen, Elmer	7	5
Pace, John	7	5
Pettigrew, Marion	6	5
Peterkin, Jean	7	7
Roraph, Arnold	6	4
Roraph, Tony	7	7
Schantz, Roy	7	3
Spencer, Mildred	7	2
Turner, Wilford	4	4
Watson, Helen	6	5
Weller, Billie	6	5

JEAN McLENNAN, Teacher.

Grade X-A	Units Written	Units Passed
Alberg, Steffen	7	3
Bleiler, George	8	8
Brookfield, Peter	7	2
Brown, Bert	7	6
Bucknell, Nelson	6	5
Brickson, Helen	7	7
Finch, Margaret	5	5
George, Jean	8	6
Hall, Edna	8	8
Jevne, Adelle	7	6
Kennedy, Miles	6	5
Leahy, Margaret	7	7
Lundblad, Edith	7	5
MacKay, Charles	7	3
McCoy, Theresa	7	5
Minni, Hilja	7	5
Moan, Catherine	7	5
Odell, Jim	7	4
Shaw, Sylvester	7	6
Smith, Ivy	8	6
Spencer, Robert	8	8
Vanhuizen, Mary	7	5
Vars, Margaret	7	5
Wingblad, Berthil	7	6

Miss IRVINE, Teacher.

Grade X-B	Units Written	Units Passed
Barnett, Stanley	7	5
Barry, Ian	7	7
Baxter, Edith	7	6
Chapman, Walter	7	4
Dahms, Doris	7	6
Polland, Lulu	6	6
Graham, Russell	5	2
Jevne, Lillian	7	1
Lahl, Norma	7	7
Lord, Fred	7	2
McArthur, Arthur	7	6
Mosseson, Helen	6	4
Nelson, Edith	7	6
Ness, Astor	7	1
Schmitz, Irene	6	5
Snell, Mary	6	5
Sorenson, Norman	7	6
Thomson, Barbara	8	7

Mr. VAN SCHAIK, Teacher.
Grades XI and XII. Results will be given next week.

WANTED TO BUY

HORSES WANTED—Anyone having old or crippled horses to dispose of, please call, telephone or write us. We can take immediate delivery. Montgomery Brothers Limited, phone 18, Wetaskiwin. 20-41a

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Neighborhood NEWS

WINFIELD

Mr. and Mrs. Fred H. Nichols of Norbuck, received a Christmas present from the store on December 21st, in the shape of a fine baby boy. Mother and child are doing well.

The sympathy of this entire community goes out to Mr. and Mrs. Harold Weaver in their recent and bereavement. The news came as a distinct shock to their many friends here and in the Pandory district, west of here, where they formerly resided.

Miss Lenore Husband, who has been teaching out of town, is spending her holidays under the parental roof. Several from Winfield attended the concert and Christmas tree at Modeste Valley school and report to be a great success.

Mr. and Mrs. W. F. Puffer of Lacombe, and their son, Mr. S. A. Puffer and family of Lamont, spent the Christmas with Mr. and Mrs. Husband. Mr. Puffer, Sr. is Mrs. Husband's brother and ex-M.L.A. for Lacombe.

Christmas was very quiet here, most of the residents went to home entertaining relatives and friends.

Sympathy is extended to the Pocha family of Buck Lake, in the loss of the husband and father, who passed away on Christmas Day, after an extended illness.

Miss Dolly Stady is spending the holidays with her sisters in Edmonton.

Mr. and Mrs. Groulx entertained on Monday evening at a very enjoyable affair. Among those present were Mrs. Husband, Mrs. Puffer, Misses Lenore and Richarda Husband, and Mr. and Mrs. Taylor.

GWYNNE

The Gwynne school concert held on Wednesday of last week was very good and enjoyed by a large crowd. Two special numbers, a violin solo rendered by Sven Eklund, also the play "Brother Jedediah," supervised by Mrs. Carlson and Mrs. Newman, were very good.

Al. Magnusson spent Christmas visiting friends at Gwynne and returned to Chateau on Monday.

Miss Meyer is spending the holidays at her home in Wetaskiwin. Hughie Twa spent Christmas at his home near Coronation, and returned Sunday night.

Essel Richards and Soren Maynard were married at Wetaskiwin on Monday, and returned to Gwynne where a wedding supper was served with immediate relatives present.

NEW NORWAY

(Intended for last week)
Wm. Hart has been confined to his bed for the past ten days with an abscess in the throat.

Mrs. Tom Hutchinson spent the past week visiting her sister Mrs. Bonnyman, at South Edmonton.

Mr. Emil Solid returned home from Vancouver on Monday, and spent Christmas with his family.

Friends of Mrs. W. Osborne will be glad to know that she is slowly recovering from a serious operation she underwent at Montreal.

Mr. G. Holt drove to Edmonton on Monday and brought Mrs. Holt home from the University hospital, where she has been taking treatments for the past three weeks.

Miss Gertrude McIntyre spent several days last week at Ferintosh, visiting old friends.

Miss Ina Lovrin, Hoover teacher, left Tuesday evening for Hay Lakes to spend Christmas with her parents.

M. Johns and other farmers of the district shipped hogs to Vancouver last week.

Robert McIntyre returned home from a two week's hunting trip west of Wetaskiwin.

Leonard Trautman is visiting friends at Peachland, B.C.

Mr. and Mrs. Art Walker and family of Donalds, came Tuesday to spend the Christmas holiday season with Mr. and Mrs. H. Davis.

BATTLE LAKE

Master Billy Freeman was sick for a few days last week.

The Christmas concert given by the Cree Valley school children, under the direction of their teacher, Mrs. Charlie Freeman, was largely attended, last Wednesday evening. The program was thoroughly enjoyed by all.

The Misses Jean and Phyllis Fullerton are spending the holiday with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Fullerton.

Mr. and Mrs. Freeman spent Christmas in Wetaskiwin.

Mr. and Mrs. Collins and family spent Christmas as the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Ed. Nadeau.

The Christmas concert given in the church on Wednesday evening was a decided success. The church was packed to the doors. Much credit is due Mrs. Freeman and all of those who took part in the program.

Rev. Baxter, assisted by three students from Three Hills, took charge of the service in the church on Sunday.

Burgess Fullerton went to Red Deer for a couple of days holiday.

Mrs. Jack Rattray of Pigeon Valley, has been spending a few days at Guo. Kinney's.

You would not be ashamed of your stationery if it had been printed at The Times office.

SOUTH PIGEON LAKE

SCHOOL REPORT

Grade IX.	Units Written	Units Passed
Laura Hauge	89	
Emil Norstrom	86	
Liside Wood	86	
Allice Boyko	83	
Nora Snell—Absent.	73	

Grade VII.

Fred Troitsky	81
Bisa Johnson	83
Philip Nilsson	83
Nellie Wood	81
Louise Hauge	69

Grade V.

Egor Zlatoustovsky	96
Mildred Midtall	90
Earl Nilsson	84
Carl Sanders—Absent.	

Grade IV.

Olive Fontaine	86
Gundild From	80
Hanna Johnson	78

Grade III.

Roy Midtall	85
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Grade II.

Dorothy Boyko	73
Dollie Wood	73
Ivan Nilsson	73
Hazel Effert	70
Kells Hagen	65
Rosina Wale	60
Bilnor Effert	78
Edna O'Donnell	70

Grade I.

Michael Troitsky	80
Axel From	78
Philip Wood	75
Dorothy Wallin	70
Daren Nilsson	65
Myrtle Midtall	60

Perfect attendance (no late)s—Laura, Hauge, Emil Norstrom, Elsa Johnson, Louise Hauge, Egor Zlatoustovsky, Hazel Effert.

V. E. JENSON, Teacher.

The annual Christmas tree and concert was held in the South Pigeon Lake school on December 23rd, with a large gathering of parents, friends and children. The program was much enjoyed and credit is due both teacher and pupils, as it is understood that time for practice was not taken from the regular school time table. Jolly Santa Claus gave out the presents from a well laden tree, after which lunch was served, bringing the pleasant afternoon to a close.

Friends of Julius Sanders will regret to hear that he broke his leg near the ankle last Wednesday. He is in the Wetaskiwin hospital.

Miss Mary Snell is spending the holiday with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ward Snell.

Messrs. Louis Meyers, Owen Ayres, Harry Murray and Bert Pae spent Christmas with their families.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Malmas of Wetaskiwin, are visiting with Mrs. Malmas' mother, Mrs. Julius Sanders, during the holiday season.

George Ball and Max Fulton spent Christmas and the weekend in Edmonton.

The South Pigeon Lake school closed on Wednesday afternoon with a party for the kiddies. The school is to be closed till February.

Cliff Blide and Miss Ethel Spencer spent the holiday in Wetaskiwin.

Messrs. Hollis and Wayne Mickelberry left Thursday to spend the holiday with their parents in Edmonton.

Vic Zborovsky spent Christmas and the weekend in Wetaskiwin.

A baby girl was born to Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Deady in the Wetaskiwin hospital, early Sunday morning.

PLEASANT PRAIRIE SCHOOL
EXAMS. FOR DECEMBER

Grade II. Jr.	Units Written	Units Passed
Raymond Strohschein	91.7	
Edwin Feidberg	79.7	
Lorne Strohschein	76.5	

Grade II. Sr.	Units Written	Units Passed
Ed. Karlo	93.7	
Eleanor Forth	87.2	
Robert Forth	80	

Grade V.	Units Written	Units Passed
Eddie Krause	57.1	
Edwin Somcher	49.1	

Grade VI.	Units Written	Units Passed
Bernice Strohschein	73	
Edna Somcher	68	
Johnny Krause	67.3	
Rudolph Forth	66.7	

Grade VII.	Units Written	Units Passed
Rugia Forth	73.5	
Geertude Kaiser—Unclassified.		

Grade VIII.	Units Written	Units Passed
Hazel Somcher	81.4	

MARY JACKSON, Teacher.

FALUN

FALUN AND WESTEROS PLAY TWO CLOSE HOCKEY GAMES

The Westeros hockey club visited Falun on Christmas day and a very enjoyable game ensued. Owing to the ice not being in the best of condition, four periods of 15 minutes were played.

The home team were the first to score, but Westeros equalized two minutes later. The end of the third period found the home team leading on a 5-3 score. In the final period the visitors took complete control of the puck and the game, netting the puck three times to win a good game. The final score was Falun 5, Westeros 6.

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BRIGHTVIEW

The annual meeting of the Lone Ridge Junior U.F.A. was held in Lone Ridge hall on Wednesday. After a short but very interesting business meeting, the following officers were elected for 1932:

President—Andrew Ewart.
Vice-President—E. T. Caldwell.
Secretary-treasurer—C. Rimmer.
Supervisors—E. E. Sparks and A. F. Ewart.

The next meeting will be held at the home of W. Milton on Wednesday, January 6th, at 8:30 p.m.

NAVAREE

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Fonteyne, with their two sons and Bernice Bergen, spent Christmas at the home of Mr. and Mrs. C. Fontey



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Successful and Happy New Year!

GEO. LONG

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NEW YEAR'S GREETING TO ALL
We desire to express our appreciation for the liberal patronage accorded us during the past year, and wish one and all prosperity during the year 1932.

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SCHOOL REPORT

ALEXANDRA SCHOOL REPORT

Grade I.	
Kenneth MacEachern	89
Joyce Hunter	89
Russell Royden	89
Ruth Chalmers	89
Ruth Rodell	89
Marie Oswald	89
Norman Farber	89
Jack Inglis	89
Carlton Mellett	89
Yelma Holtner	88.5
Freida Leimveber	88
Pauline Schneek	88
Rosina Scheske	88
Gordon Ragan	87
Billy Palmer	87
Peggy Wilson	86
Tillie Hay	86
George Deihl	86
Elgin Lyons	85.5
Frank Blackwell	85
Ernest Runte	85
Myrtle Wait	79
B Class	
Palmer Rice	65
Frank Burns	64
Joyce Merner	60
Lydla Zens—Unclassified.	

W. WALKER, Teacher.

Grade II.	
Lucy Palloff	93
Felix Appelt	92.7
Rene Hayman	92.3
Joan Anderson	91.3
Dorothy Montgomery	89.7
Kathleen Holmer	89.2
Marjory Anderson	89.3
Shirley Holmes	88
Alban Smith	88
Biddy Palfrey	84.5
Roddy French	83.5
Bernard Chandler	82.7
Oliver Bergen	82
Morley Wade	81.7
Frances Vassar	80.8
Eileen Weir	79.5
Howard Williams	79.5
Helen Manes	75.8
Provoost	70.5
Isabel Roraph	67
Kenneth Turner	65.3
Donald Thompson	63.8
Edgar Rosenroff	61.3
Cyril Lyseng	60.3
Freddie Bowle	60.2
Erle Sinclair	59.8
James Groves	57.5
Raymond Relahart	57.3
Barbara Beaton	56
Keith Groves	54
Gwyneth Rice	48.2
Nelsa Nevalin	34.7
Ernest McLeod	29.5
Lorraine Merner	18.3

B. R. ABBOTT, Teacher.

Grade III.	
Della Condie	84.4
Helen Scheske	83.8
Norman Chandler	82.8
Irene Oswald	82.4
Andrew Asper	81.4
Erne Enarson	81.4
Stanley Hendrickson	78.1
Elmer Provost	77.6
Elsie Ragan	76.6
James Schrefels	75.9
John Newby	74.6
Earle Edwards	74.1
Billy Fead	73.9
James Bell	72
Mona Watson	72
Monda East	71.4
Edith Yates	71
Phyllis Standberry	70.6
Evelyn Weir	70.4

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Donald Lohndorf	68.5
Murray Engel	68.4
Gleenn Smith	67.1
Jimmy Templeman	66.5
Phyllis Wanch	62.5
Merrill Rice	61.9
Dora Murphy	61.4
Betty Shantz	59.6
Randolph Mosler	59.6
Fred Runte	57.3
James Lohndorf	56.3
Stanley Hodson	56.6
Charles Baker	52.8
Bernice Hansen	52.5
George Nevalin	51.1
Junior Snyder	51
August Feldberg	47.3
Bonnie Dietz	46.1
Augustine Janzen	27.9

Unclassified—Pat Blackwell.

L. M. O. FELLAND, Teacher.

Grade IV.	
Alan Carlson	91.92
Douglas Manley	86.42
Eleanor Roraph	83.5
Ethel Parker	83.17
Harry Newby	82.17
Dorothy Smees	81
Robert Chalmers	80.5
Donald Jackson	79
Donald MacEachern	78.92
Gourlie Smith	78.5
Loris Burroughs	77
Lois Schrefels	75.92
Bert Provost	75.83
Albert Schneck	75.75
Yvonne Smith	75.6
Vera Diehl	74.58
Arthur Rosenroff	73.75
Elsie Wagar	73.42
Sidney Spencer	72.17
Gordon Welford	71.17
Booby Kirstin	71.17
Elgie Ewing	70.51
Minna Littmann	70.83
Alma Fiedler	70
Gerald Holtner	65.42
Jean Duitman	65
Frank Grosz	64.25
Marguerite Normand	62.88
Margaret Deltz	62.5
Elmer Burk	61.92
Gretna Templeman	60.17
Moore Schram	59.08
Bob Blackwell	58.75
George Church	57.33
Gerald Spencer	57.33
Herbert Schrefels	55.37
Gladys Lyon	54.42
Rowna Schumland	51.67
Norman Schumland	50.45
Byron Reynolds	45.88
Lloyd Sinclair	43.83

MARGARET MCKAY, Teacher.

Grade V.	
Audrey Miller	89
Sylvia Bidinger	88
Shirley Smith	88
Beryl Gilchrist	86
Marvyn Appelt	85
Jack Shillaber	84
Grace Ewing	82
Billy Barnett	77
Buster Stanberry	76
Arthur Duitman	75
Bob Heath	74
Lona East	73
Ruth Radomski	72
Gertrude Hay	72
Milton Coulson	72
Florence Schram	72
La Rue Russell	71
Billy McLeod	71
Dorothy Snyder	71
Bertha Scheske	69
Jean Asp	69
John Taylor	69
Gordon Groves	69
Lucille Russell	68
Anna Schneyer	68
Howard Palmer	68
Leslie Sharlow	68
Elsie Burkholder	67
Ruth Barry	67
Joy Merner	65
Charlie Schneek	64
Bernie Reinhardt	64
Jack Vassar	63
Tancred Lyseng	61
Robert Leschert	61
Helen Grabham	55
Viola Dayton	55
Elsie Leschert	42

E. THRASHER, Teacher.

Grade VIII.	
Dorling Irving	87.42
Dorothy Duitman	86.23
Martha Reinchen	85.92
Luther Appelt	85.00
Marianne Orr	84.42
Little Arntsen	82.38
Ethel Coulson	79.11
George Taylor	77.53
Billy Odell	76.15
Cecil Bridgeman	75.50
Jean Bridgeman	74.38
Jack French	74.07
Alice Spencer	73.69
Lawrence Fied	72.75
Bertha Lee	72.50
Marian Manley	72.50
Donald Lindsey	71.80
Milton Gilchrist	69.00
Billy Beavo	68.92
Inga Smith	68.73
Gladys Holby	68.65
Victor Scott	68.42
Violet Bidinger	65.34
Herbert Hansen	65.19
James Thomson	63.42
Grace Rice	63.03

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Douglas Barry	55.50
Bernice Bergen	52.03
Irene Edwards	52.00
Paul Miller	50.81
Billy Miller	48.77
Thomas Bates	47.80
Thelma Walker	46.00
Margaret Bolt	45.87

Unclassified—Phyllis Hardy, Fred Hodson, Edward Bergen, James Inglis.

J. KULAK, Teacher.

Grade I.	
Jean Jackson	90
Ervin Depner	89.3
Lia Verstraete	89
Elise Halgren	85.6
Luther Asper	85.6
Norma Olsen	83.6
Harold Noyd	82.6
Rose Ambler	78.3
Hugh Stewart	77.3
Melvin Barr	72.3
Ruth Gibson	71.4
Walter Wiedelick	60.6
Donald Murphy	57.3
Helen Braglin	57
Minnie Haak	54
George Printup	50
Colla Bye	44.6
Agnes Vanhuizen	42.3
George Ambler	36.6
Bernice Murphy	32

Grade II.	
Kenneth Olsen	91
Alistair Sorensen	88.4
Lona Smith	75.4
Myra Anderson	75.2
Marjorie Miller	71.4
Donald Barr	62.4
Louise Haak	62.4
Byron Printup	60.8
Bernard Murphy	54
Norman Ambler	36.2

G. E. CHRISTIE, Teacher.

Grade IV.	
Myrtle Felling	85.5
Bernice Barr	82.4
Myra Lasell	78.5
Sylvia Chapman	77.9
Adair Schneck	77.3
Marcel Sherbeck	71.6
George Smith	70.6
Edward Callies	64.9
Edward Vanhuizen	61
Robert Ragan	53.1

Grade V.

Robert Gibson	81.5
Thelma Asper	78.4
Elsceta Sorensen	76
Helen Vanhuizen	74.8
Dallas Smith	73.8
Bruce Warren	72.8
Douglas Warren	71.7
Robert Guard	71.6
Joyce Gibson	70.5
Russell Overn	69.8
Kurt Depner	68.3
Gustav Jensen	63.8
Ransom Vagar	63.8
Audrey Thompson	63.5

E. V. CORBETT, Teacher.

Grade VI.	
Bob Watson	83.83
Ruth Pollard	83.33
Marjorie MacAllister	83.17
Neil Beaton	82.83
Robert Guard	81.65
Jimmie French	81.25
Jack Brown	77.67
Betty Palfrey	77.42
Minnie Reinchen	75.92
Manuel Overn	74.32
Marjorie Rice	73.83
Leola Hagen	73.08
Madeleine East	72.00
Raymond Smith	71.25
Evelyn Verstraete	71.08
Byron Jevne	70.00
Harvey Felling	69.25
Irwin Blouler	68.83
Fred Chappell	66.17
Cecil Weir	65.42
George Ragan	64.83
Gordon Schumland	64.65
Jennie Ketchin	58.17
Kenneth Holby	56.18
Alice Williams	55.91
Clarence Jackson	55.75
Jimmie Chapman	55.50
Bernard Parker	54.25
Myrtle Ambler	53.97
Jessie Vanhuizen	53.08
Freda Hall	49.58
Betty Johnson	48.67
Cecil Hagen	48.00
Clarence Asp	47.65
Ross Baker	47.50
Leola Beller	44.17
Irene Shaw	43.36
Floyd Shantz	42.83
Clarence Radomski	40.73
Gerald Engel	33.42
Alberta Vagar	30.75
Joe Ragan	27.12

B. A. MUNN, Teacher.

Grade VII.	
Elina Asper	81.95
Freda Lloyd	81.22
Finley Hendrickson	80.70
Lillian Roraph	78.77
Gordon Erickson	76.79
Elsie Schneek	76.45
Lorraine Sorensen	76.29
Jean Edwards	74.04
Cora Stanberry	73.70
Joyce Schrag	73.12
Sam Cook	70.12
Olga Schneek	69.79
Viola Deltcher	69.53
George Godin	69.40
Earl Baker	69.38
Elsie Gardiner	64.95
Margaret Asp	64.37
Gertrude McLeod	62.29
Bill Palfrey	61.20
Joe Cole	60.62
Charles How	59.03
Willie Leschert	59.03
John Owen	59.41

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BACKGAMMON

Celia Forsyth had played her way through bridge-whist, via auction, mah jong and contract, to backgammon.

She was a spinster. Attractive, cultivated to the extent of knowing pretty accurately at which European gallery on might find particular masterpieces, alert and popular. Women wondered "why dear Celia had not married." Men frankly enjoyed asking her to tea, for they were confident of their matrimonial safety and knew Celia as a well groomed, agreeable companion.

Not that there were no definite suitors. Mr. Stokes, president of the second largest bank in Granville, had asked her repeatedly to become his wife, and Celia had cleverly contrived to retain his friendship while refusing to become stepmother to the six small Stokes'. Then Arthur Brand, retired merchant, had signified his immense willingness to have her head his dinner table. But Celia just smiled. She was rapidly becoming a pleasant neighborhood institution.

She was a good golfer. Played vigorous tennis. Swam. This brought her in contact with the younger set, and it is to her credit that here she

Here and There

"Canada has a bumper crop of potatoes this year with an official preliminary estimate putting the total 1931 yield at 558,300 bushels from 576,500 acres as compared with 401,660 bushels from 571,300 acres in 1930.

Canada is the pioneer in fish culture on this continent. The first fish hatchery from artificial fertilized eggs in Canada were produced in 1855 and fish culture was established as a Dominion Government service in 1867.

Britishers are eating Canadian eggs this year with their breakfast. Estimates for 1931 place a figure of 20,000 cases, each of 30 dozen eggs, for export to Great Britain. Last year it was only 6,500 cases.

The fur trade is still one of Canada's big assets. In 1927 furs to the value of \$550,000 were exported to France. Last year their value was placed at \$17,187,399, mostly to Great Britain and the United States.

Grain traffic handled by the last Pacific for October last shows a considerable increase over that carried for October, 1930. A total of 17,921 cars was loaded last month from the Prairie Provinces as compared with a total of 13,573 cars in October, 1930.

Idle since the first week of October, the mill of the British Empire Steel plant at Sydney, N.S., is again in operation, giving full time employment of six days a week to upwards of 200 men. They are rolling soft steel for a number of orders recently placed with the company.

With a trail mileage of 7,162 miles to his credit and having to date seen 424 moose, 69 caribou and 484 deer in New Brunswick, E. L. Pope, of Boston, Mass., is back in the New Brunswick forests on his 27th hunting trip in 29 seasons. He will spend several weeks on this trip.

Nat. Cornfest, colorful golf pro at the Canadian Pacific Langara course, Vancouver, for the past five and a half years, sailed by the Empress of Russia recently for Tokyo where he will act as golf instructor at the Fuji Shokai Club course. This organization operates a huge indoor layout in addition to its outdoors links.

Major John W. Sifton, one of the proprietors of the Manitoba Free Press, Winnipeg, seated at his writing desk in his private residence at Toronto recently, pulled a lever which, through the medium of Canadian Pacific telegraphs transmission wires, set in motion the new ten unit speed press line erected in the Free Press offices at a cost of \$300,000. The new press has a rated maximum capacity of more than 100,000 four-page papers per hour.

Twelve hundred colonies of bees and bees and their acorn-pine queens from the Province of Alberta to China was the main feature of the Canadian export trade to the Orient and of the movement aboard the Empress of China recently. The European and American bee producers nearly twice as much money as its Asiatic brother that has been exported to China since the late of 1910.

was almost as popular as in her own maturer crowd. Perhaps the epitomized verdict on Celia was her consummate sportsmanship. She played her life as she played her games.

Now that backgammon had followed on the long skirt, Celia was slightly nonplussed. She had no one to play with her. Granville is slow to adopt new ideas. Her friends had studied to master the intricacies of contract.

But Celia wanted to play backgammon. Not to be modest, but fired with a genuine desire to see what it was like. The assiduous Mr. Stokes gave her charming dice with antique holders. She bought a book of rules. But there it ended.

That is, until Toby Morris brought his uncle to the Country Club for a round of golf. Toby was a member of the younger set that swam with Celia in summer. He presented his uncle with triumph.

"My uncle plays backgammon," Miss Forsyth said.

Celia flushed. She saw a smallish, elderly man with the hard pink cheeks one associates with jockeys. The eyes smiled. Celia liked Toby's uncle. That very afternoon Celia asked him to tea. James Morris found her drawing room gracious with spaced lights and autumn flowers. A seating for a refined game of a gracious period that appealed to his aesthetic tastes. For James Morris owned a picture gallery in the city.

To the light of candles (and one bridge lamp, for comfort's sake) they fought each other, Celia mastering the details of the archaic game with the celerity of the adept. James Morris liked her intenses.

He liked the way the light fell on her well-combed nose. Afterward they had tea, and Celia's really broad sympathies reached out to the equally wide humanities of Morris. For the first time in her life Celia admitted to herself that here was a man who could quicken her pulse rate.

"Is it the heart or the head?" she asked herself as she sat later at her solitary dinner.

And it came to be an acknowledged argument that Wednesday Mr. James Morris gave Celia Forsyth lessons in backgammon, interspersing his instructions with pious accounts of how he learned himself from a pre-ivil war grandfather. Celia's imagination pieced together the fragments that made up the tapestry of the life of James Morris, once plantation child in Tennessee, now exploiter and purveyor of other men's talents in New York.

"D'you think, Miss Forsyth," said James Morris one day in the late fall as they sat idly in one of those pauses in conversation that mark contented intimacy, "that a man of 54 who falls in love is a fool?"

Celia laughed. "Don't you think," she said, "that there are fifty-fours and fifty-fours? I mean, one person might be—well, rather fatuous, possibly—whereas another might be—vital?"



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OBITUARY

ERNEST BLANCHARD
A gloom was cast over the Canyon Creek district on December 19th, when Ernest Blanchard was called to his reward after a lingering illness. Deceased, who was in his 35th year, had been a resident of the Canyon Lake and Canyon Creek districts since 1928. Prior to that time he farmed for one year in the Millet district, to which he came from Medicine Hat. The funeral was conducted by Rev. H. G. Smith of Millet, at the home, the United church, and the grave side, on December 22nd. Mr. Smith spoke comforting words to the bereaved relatives from the Book of Job, "If a man die, shall he live again?"

The remains were carried to their last resting place by six neighbors of the family, Messrs. Warren, McEln, Cameron, Perron, Green and Moore. A number of beautiful floral wreaths and sprays attested the esteem of relatives and friends.

Deceased leaves to mourn his loss, his wife and five small children, seven stepchildren, Roy, Loren, Doreen, Elvin, Hael and Pearl. He was the father of the family, and Mrs. P. Moonen of Thorshy, his father, one sister and one brother of Medicine Hat. Interment took place in the Millet cemetery.

MILLET MAN HEADS SWINE BREEDERS' ASSOCIATION

R. P. Rupp was elected Alberta director of the Alberta Swine Breeders' Association for the year 1932, in a mail ballot conducted by R. W. Wade, secretary, from Toronto. Other directors of the Swine Breeders for the western provinces were: Saskatchewan, C. M. Learmonth, Regina; E. P. Richardson, Seamus, British Columbia; C. Strickland, Elburne, Manitoba; A. C. McPhail, Brandon. The Sheep Breeders' Association took a mail ballot at the same time, and the results were: Alberta, Geo. P. Ball, Strathcona, president; Saskatchewan, W. C. Heron, Hantoon; British Columbia, Leonard Higginson, Sardis; Manitoba, Geo. Gordon, Oak Lake.

OLD TIME CITIZEN CALLED BY DEATH; HERE 52 YEARS

One of the trail blazers of the west, who came to Edmonton in 1889, John Irvine, aged 82, died in hospital on Christmas Day after a short illness. Mr. Irvine was a pioneer employee of the Hudson's Bay company, with which firm he was in service for 45 years. He was an expert scow builder and well-known to traders and trappers whose operations extended from Edmonton to Athabasca—Edmonton Journal.

The late Mr. Irvine was a former resident of Millet, having resided with his daughter, Mrs. P. Fraser, until her death.

BORN

BORN—In Wetaskiwin hospital, on December 25th, to Mr. and Mrs. John Zellmers, of Millet, a daughter (still-born).

ST. NORBERT'S CHURCH
Holy Mass will be celebrated on January 3rd, at 11 a.m.
Rev. Fr. Pat McQuinn, Parish Priest.

ST. JOHN'S ANGLICAN CHURCH
During the winter months, Communion will be held at 3 p.m. on the second Sunday of each month.
Sunday school at 2 p.m.
Evening song with sermon at 3 p.m. every Sunday except the second when there will be a Communion service instead.

Rev. A. Murphy, M.A., Vicar.

MILLET UNITED CHURCH
Services will be held at the following places on Sunday, January 3:
Conjuring Lake school, 11 a.m.;
Bonnie Glen school, 2:30 p.m.;
Millet at 7:30 p.m.; Millet Sunday school, 11 a.m.
Rev. H. G. Smith, Pastor.

THE MILLET PAGE

THIS PAGE DEVOTED TO THE INTERESTS OF MILLET AND DISTRICT

Telephone to, or leave all items for this page, as well as advertisements, and all orders for commercial printing. Phone all news to Millet Central. Post news to Mrs. JOHN MAINE, Times Correspondent, Gen. Del. Millet

MILLET LOCAL NEWS

Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Maine of Fern Creek, were visitors at the home of John Maine on Saturday.

Miss Violet Scott of Edmonton, is spending the holidays with her brother, Stanley Scott.

Mrs. Ralph Pierce spent Saturday with her mother, Mrs. Ida Maine, at the J. Maine home in Millet.

Mrs. Mary Morris, with Mildred and Bud, are spending their holiday with Mr. and Mrs. Harry Scott and family.

Mr. and Mrs. P. Facey spent Christmas Day at the home of their daughter, Mrs. J. H. Walker of Wetaskiwin.

Mr. and Mrs. John West and Mr. and Mrs. C. Moon attended the funeral of Henry Bower at New Norway on Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Maine of Fern Creek, spent Christmas with Mrs. Maine's parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. McEln, of Conjuring Lake.

The children of the United Sunday school are holding their Christmas entertainment in the United church on Thursday from 4 to 6 o'clock.

Mr. and Mrs. McKay of Calgary, and Mr. and Mrs. J. Walker of Wetaskiwin, were guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Facey of the village.

Mrs. Chas. Brinker entertained about twenty young people at supper on Sunday night, in honor of Miss Mildred Morris and Bud Morris of Edmonton.

SOUTH PIGEON LAKE

(Intended for last week)
Miss Anna Sanders of Camrose, visited with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Julius Sanders, during the week-end. Miss Louise Snell of Wenham Valley, is visiting with her uncle, Mr. Ward Snell.

Miss Dorothy Leeman, who has been visiting in Edmonton, returned home last Tuesday.

Mrs. Cecil Dooley is the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Sigard Linden in Wetaskiwin.

Mr. and Mrs. George Kimmy and family of Battle Lake, visited Mr. and Mrs. Ward Snell during the week-end. Miss Ethel Spencer of Wetaskiwin, has taken a position at Snell's mill.

BITTERN LAKE

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Storie spent Christmas with Dr. and Mrs. Malmes at Camrose.

Mrs. N. Holmstrom and son Gordon left for Edmonton Thursday morning, where they will spend Christmas with friends. They will go from there to Gadsby to spend the New Year with Mr. and Mrs. Geo. D. Cole.

Miss Ruth Lomes, who teaches at William, is home for the holidays.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Howarth and family of Wynne, spent Christmas with Mr. and Mrs. H. Howarth.

Miss M. L. Smith, teacher of South Bittern Lake school, is spending her holidays at Dewberry.

Mr. and Mrs. Albert Carlson and son spent Christmas with Mr. and Mrs. P. Doule, near Wynne.

Don Gouches, at present in Wetaskiwin, was home for a few days last week.

Melvin Kneeland of Hanna, who is attending school here, left for his home Thursday morning, where he will spend the Christmas holidays.

Mr. and Mrs. R. O. Cowan, Mr. C. Smith, Sr., and Carl Smith of Harvest Home, and Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Peterson and family, spent Christmas Day with Mr. and Mrs. W. Altwater.

Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Daly are spending Christmas at Daysland.

BORN—To Mr. and Mrs. Edgar Alm on December 20th, a daughter, Miss Nora Roger is visiting with relatives at Wilkie during Christmas. Ernest Elgert arrived home Saturday, after a couple of weeks visit at Wetaskiwin.

(Intended for last week)
Mr. and Mrs. R. J. Daley have gone to Edmonton, where they will spend the winter.

Donald Gouches, who plays hockey with Wetaskiwin, spent the week-end at his home here.

Miss Elsie Elgert is assisting with house work at H. Mortenson's. Miss Vera Holmstrom spent a few days in Edmonton, visiting her sister, Mrs. T. Lettgeb.

Miss M. L. Smith spent the week-end with friends in Wetaskiwin.

"John," said his wife, "those trousers of yours are looking rather worn."

"Yes," he replied, "I'm afraid they're on their last legs."

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NAVAREE

(Intended for last week)
On Wednesday evening of last week about sixty friends gathered at the home of Mr. and Mrs. R. Kasur and held an enjoyable surprise party in honor of the newly-weds, Mr. and Mrs. Edward Walters. The fore part of the evening was spent in playing cards. A dainty lunch was served at midnight, after which dancing continued until the party broke up at 3 a.m. Mr. and Mrs. Walters were the recipients of many beautiful and useful gifts.

The Bulyea Christmas entertainment was held in the school on Tuesday, Dec. 22nd. As usual, the building was full to the doors. The school room looked very Christmas-like and gay, having been tastefully decorated by the teacher, Mr. C. Williamson.

Mr. Percy Hoyle, a member of the board of trustees, was an able chairman, while Miss Redden of Wetaskiwin, was the organist. The performance of the children showed an abundance of talent and thorough training and was greatly appreciated by the audience. At the close of the program, Santa Claus appeared in his usual jovial manner and distributed presents and treats.

Richard Welz, who is employed on the farm of H. T. Rix, met with a very painful accident last Wednesday. He was climbing up on the roof of a workshop and when near the top he lost his hold and fell down across a wagonbox, breaking three of his ribs. We are glad to hear that he is recovering nicely.

Advertisements in the paper that circulate all over the district thoroughly.

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MILLET LOCAL NEWS

Frank and Helen Davis spent the week-end in Edmonton with their father, Jesse Davis.

A party of Millet young people attended the hockey game in Wetaskiwin on Christmas Day.

Mrs. Jim Briggs spent Tuesday and Wednesday the guest of Mrs. Joe Williams of Wetaskiwin.

Mr. and Mrs. Alex Mitchell of Calgary, spent Christmas with Mr. and Mrs. Inglis at the hotel.

H. MacDougall of Calgary, spent Christmas with his brother and family, Mr. and Mrs. MacDougall of Millet.

Miss Leola Pendleton, who has spent the past year in Millet, returned to her home at Loughheed Christmas Eve.

Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Moonen and family spent Christmas at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Art Carter of West Liberty.

Jim MacAllister, of Fern Creek, who spent Christmas with his parents in Wetaskiwin, was a Millet visitor on Tuesday.

Clayton Carney, who is attending Normal in Edmonton, is spending the holiday season with his parents in the village.

The many friends of Mrs. G. Just are sorry to hear that she has been called to Jarroo on account of the serious illness of her mother.

Messrs. Fred Easterbrook and Bob Van Volkenburg, left by motor for Winfield and points farther west on Monday morning. If it snowed there as hard as it did in Millet, they will most likely do some shoveling before they get to their destination.

A farmer was passing the insane asylum with a load of fertilizer. An inmate called through the fence "What are you hauling?"

"Fertilizer," replied the farmer. "What are you going to do with it?"

"Put it on my strawberries," replied the farmer.

The inmate countered quickly: "You ought to live here. We get cream on ours."

HILLSIDE

The Christmas concert put on in the schoolhouse last Tuesday evening was a decided success. Long before the opening hour the house was filled. Each item was well received and many little tots appeared on the platform for the first time. Miss Hoslop is to be congratulated on the splendid program and fine behaviour of the scholars. Santa Claus was present and each child received a bag of sweets and a present from the tree.

Miss B. Marr is spending the Christmas holidays at the home of her parents.

The Misses L. and K. Marr spent the Christmas holidays under the parental roof.

Those who attended the Christmas concert held in Millet last week report it one of the best ever presented there.

The regular meeting of the U. F. W. A. will be held at the home of Mrs. Hoskins on January 7th. All ladies are invited.

The annual school meeting will be held in the school house on Monday afternoon, January 4th. All taxpayers are asked to turn out and show their interest in school affairs.

The annual meeting of the Hillside Juniors was held at the home of Miss May Gray, with a full attendance of members. James Hoskins was elected president, Miss Hoslop vice-president, and Miss May Gray secretary-treasurer. Mr. and Mrs. C. Dowdell were chosen as the Senior Supervisors. We understand that the juniors are putting on a play some time in February.

Miss Beth Howes of Wynne and Miss Esther, of Edmonton, are spending the holidays with Mr. and Mrs. T. H. Howes.

Mrs. Hoskins and Jimmie spent last week-end in Edmonton with the former's parents, Mr. and Mrs. James Pritchard.

An intimation to slow-paying customers was thus given by a country shopkeeper: "All persons indebted to our shop are requested to call and settle. All those indebted to our shop and not knowing it, are requested to call and find out. Those knowing themselves indebted and not wishing to call are requested to stay in one place long enough for us to catch them."

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An Irishman and an Englishman were sitting together discussing matters as to who could see the farthest.

"See that steeple," said the Englishman, pointing to a steeple far away. "I can see a mosquito sitting on that."

But Pat was not to be outdone. "Begorra!" he exclaimed, "I saw 'im wink."

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buyers go where they are invited to go. They buy, in largest numbers, from those who give them information about their business, service, goods, prices. This is exactly as it should be.

Why shouldn't the most aggressive seller get most business?

The world likes to buy from keen sellers—from retailers who pay them the compliment of telling them about what they have to sell and about their desire for their custom.

Dumb retailers may be fine men, may give good values, may be first-class store keepers, but the buying public prefers to go where advertisements in their newspapers direct them to go.

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Monday, Tuesday, Wednesday, 8 p.m. Jan. 4-5-6

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Kay Francis, Conway Tearle and William Boyd head the cast of this story of a counterfeit lady. She had an air of respectability—an instinctive sense of sportmanship, yet she was an accomplice of swindlers. One of the season's sensations.

Also: LOUISE DRESSER and RICHARD ARLEN in "CAUGHT" Paramount has crammed full of excitement this story based on the life and adventures of Calamity Jane, the female counterpart of Jesse James, who flourished in the days of Wild Bill Hickok.

Thursday, Friday, Saturday Jan. 7-8-9

GARY COOPER and CLAUDETTE COLBERT in
"HIS WOMAN"

Church and Sunday School

FIRST UNITED CHURCH

Minister, Rev. A. R. Schrag, B.A. B.D.

Choirmaster, Mr. Touche

Sunday, Jan. 3—

11—Morning service.

7:30—Evening service.

Junior Sunday school at 2:30 p.m.

and Senior Groups school at 12:05 noon.

There will be observed the ordinance of the Lord's Supper at the morning service.

In the evening of January 17th, Rev. Dr. Thomas Mitchell, formerly of Robertson Memorial Church, Edmonton, will preach.

IMMANUEL CHURCH

Rev. P. C. Wade, L.Th., Vicar

H. Marjorie Robinson, A.T.C.M., Organist

Sunday, Jan. 3—2nd Sunday after Christmas—

8 a.m.—Holy Communion.

10 a.m.—Sunday school.

7:30 p.m.—Evangelism and sermon.

Friday, Jan. 1st—Feast of the Circumcision—10 a.m.—Holy Communion.

Vicarage: Adjacent to church Phone 293.

SWEDISH BAPTIST

East side Baptist Church

P. M. Meyer, Pastor

Thursday, Dec. 31st, from 8 to 12 o'clock p.m., Watchnight service.

Several speakers, good singing and music will be rendered. Refreshments served.

Saturday, Jan. 2nd—1 p.m., annual business meeting in the Wetaskiwin Church.

Sunday, Jan. 3—

11 a.m.—Sunday school at Crooked Lake school, Nashville school, Nashville Church and Wetaskiwin.

Rev. H. Young, the Scotch evangelist, will conduct services during the week of prayer, from Sunday, January 3rd to Sunday, January 10th, every night at 8 p.m. in the Wetaskiwin church, and 3 p.m. on Sundays in the Nashville church.

Tuesday, January 5th, 2 p.m., annual business meeting in the Nashville church.

SWEDISH MISSION CHURCH

On Saturday and Sunday, Jan. 2 and 3, the Alberta Sunday school and Young People's Association midwinter conference will be held in Wetaskiwin.

On Saturday, 3 p.m., business session; 8 p.m. concert, with special music. Mr. Daniel Phillips of Edmonton, will be present with his music and song.

Sunday, Jan. 3—Services at 10:45 a.m., 3 p.m. and 7:30 p.m. Speakers, Rev. E. B. Anderson, Rev. E. Turnquist of Calgary and others. Refreshments will be served between sessions.

CHURCH OF THE NAZARENE

W. J. Ewing, Pastor

11—Morning service.

2:30 p.m.—Sunday school.

7:30—Evangelistic service.

Thursday evening at 8—Prayer meeting.

Friday evening at 7:30, Y.P.S.

Rev. and Mrs. J. R. Splital of Red Deer, will hold a service in the Church of the Nazarene, Wetaskiwin, on New Year's night, Jan. 1st, at 8 o'clock. These evangelistic preachers broadcast their services from Red Deer over CKLC every other Sunday from 11:30 to 1. Next broadcast Jan. 10th.

ZION LUTHERAN

Dickson Ave.

Rev. A. Appelt, Pastor

Thursday, Dec. 31—7:30 p.m., New Year's eve service, German.

Friday, Jan. 1st—

10:45 a.m.—German, subject "The first question of the new year."

7:30 p.m.—English services and Holy Communion.

Sunday, Jan. 3—

10:45 a.m.—German.

2 p.m.—Annual meeting of the congregation. All voting members and intending members are requested to

attend this important meeting. There will be no evening service. Religious instruction for confirmation will be resumed Tuesday, Jan. 5th, and Saturday school, January 9.

THE SALVATION ARMY

Capt. Hill Lieut. Wright

Holliness meeting, 11 a.m.

Company meeting, 3 p.m.

Salvatic meeting, 7:30 p.m.

Tuesday—Prayer meeting, 8 p.m.

Thursday, Public meeting, 8 p.m.

Pentecostal Assembly

John L. Wood, Pastor

2 p.m.—Sunday school.

3 p.m.—Devotional service.

7:30 p.m.—Evangelistic service.

Wednesday, 8 p.m.—Prayer meeting at the parsonage.

Friday, 8 p.m.—Young People's meeting at the parsonage.

ST. ANDREW'S PRESBYTERIAN

Rev. C. J. Mackay, Minister

Sabbath services—

Morning—11.

Evening—7:30.

Sabbath School—12:15 p.m.

WETASKIWIN BAPTIST CHURCH

Sunday, Jan. 3—

11 a.m.—Sunday school.

7:30 p.m.—Gospel service.

Special speaker and special songs. Music by the orchestra. Opening service of the Bible Institute.

Monday, Jan. 4—8 p.m. English services. Speaker, Rev. A. Schade.

Wednesday evening, Jan. 6—Services in the German language. Speaker, one of the teachers.

Friday evening, Jan. 8—Young People's meeting.

The Royal Orange Lodge held an enjoyable dance in the U.F.A. hall on Tuesday evening last. The music was supplied by Scott's orchestra.

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WEEKLY STOCK MARKET REPORT

The following is a weekly report of the Edmonton Stock Yards for the week ending Dec. 29th, as supplied to The Times:

Receipts: Cattle, 55. Calves, 28;

Hogs, 92; Sheep, 24.

With the holiday season, daily receipts have been insufficient to make or establish a market. Prices are quoted steady with last week's close.

Good to choice lightweight cattle on the fed calf order selling at \$5.00 to \$5.50, medium kinds from \$4.25 to \$4.75, and common to fair from \$2.50 to \$3.50. Some choice butcher steers up to \$5.00, bulk of the good kinds \$4.25 to \$4.75, mediums \$3.50 to \$4.00 and common to fair from \$2.00 to \$3.25. Good to choice heavyweight butcher heifers \$4.00 to \$4.50, mediums \$3.25 to \$3.75, good heavies \$3.00 to \$3.25 and common to fair \$2.00 to \$2.75. Good butcher cows \$2.50 to \$2.75, common to medium \$1.25 to \$2.25. Canners and butchers 50c to \$1.25, bulls \$1.25 to \$1.75.

Very few stockers moving. General run of good stocker steers and heifers from \$3.25 to \$3.75, common to medium from \$2.25 to \$3.00. Stocker cows from \$1.75 to \$2.50.

There is no material change noticeable on the calf market. Good calves \$5.00 to \$6.00, mediums \$4.00 to \$4.50 and common to fair from \$2.50 to \$3.50.

So far this week trucked-in hogs sold at \$3.75 for the bacon, with select bringing a premium of 50c per hundred and butchers discounted 50c per hundred. Cuts on the off-grade hogs remain unchanged and as follows: Heavies discounted 75c per hundred, extra heavies discounted 75c per hundred, No. 1 sows discounted \$1.00 per hundred, No. 2 sows discounted \$1.25 per hundred, roughs discounted \$2.00 per hundred.



Happy and Prosperous New Year to All!

Is Wished By the MANAGEMENT and STAFF of

BRODY'S

Insufficient sleep to make a market. Prices quoted steady and unchanged. General run of butcher lambs \$4.25 to \$4.50. Choice light up to \$4.75, yearlings \$3.00 to \$3.50 and ewes \$2.00 to \$3.00.

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BORN

NICHOLS—Born to Mr. and Mrs. Fred H. Nichols of Norbuck, at Nelson's sawmill, Nelspur, on December 21st, a son, Stanley Ronald.

JOHNSON—On December 25th, at Prentice, Wis., to Mr. and Mrs. Alvin Johnson (nee Elsie Brandt) a son.

MADILL—In the Medicine Hat hospital on the 29th inst., to Dr. and Mrs. J. Madill (nee Evelyn Johnson) a daughter.

WETASKIWIN MARKETS

Wednesday, December 30, 1931

No. 1 Northern	40
No. 2 Northern	35
No. 3 Northern	31
No. 4 Wheat	29
No. 5 Wheat	25
Oats	16½
Barley	21½
Rye	25½
Hogs	27½
Lambs	3.00 to 4.50
Steers	2½c to 3c
Eggs	25-30-15

SPECIAL MEETINGS

A schedule of special meetings for the first week in January are arranged for by the ministers of Ponoka, Lacombe and Bentley, as well as

Wetaskiwin. These meetings will be held simultaneously and the subjects are very well chosen as of interest to members of the Church. In Wetaskiwin the Rev. P. C. Wade will hold the first meeting in the Anglican Church on Tuesday, Jan. 5th, and will address the gathering on "The Christian Home"; on Wednesday, also in the Anglican Church, Rev. T. R. Davis of Ponoka, will speak to a Young People's rally on "A Message for Youth." On Thursday, Jan. 7th, Rev. R. B. Layton of Lacombe, will on Friday, Jan. 8th, Rev. A. R. Schrag will address similar gatherings in the United Church. These meetings will begin at 8 p.m. and an offering will be taken for travelling expenses. This is a co-operative venture of the United Churches in these places. All are most heartily invited to the meetings.

Miss Patricia Torrence, Conjuring Lake, is visiting with her uncle and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. C. Kolb.

Among those who spent Christmas out of town with friends were: Mr. Simpson, clerk of the Supreme Court, at Calgary; Walter S. English, at Edmonton; Mr. and Mrs. Fred MacFarlane, at Calgary; and Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Miller at Edmonton.

Here's hoping

the New Year

1932

brings you the fullest measure of

Joy and Prosperity

WETASKIWIN U.F.A. CO-OPERATIVE ASS'N LIMITED

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Happy New Year!

To our customers and to everybody else—our sincere hope is that your cup of happiness during 1932 will be full to the brim.

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T. H. HARMON, Manager



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H. R. FRENCH

Jeweller—Optometrist

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Management and Staff

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Happy and Prosperous New Year